

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant : Choi et al. Art Unit : 1648
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Title : COMPOSITIONS AND METHODS FOR INCREASING THE ORAL
ABSORPTION OF ANTIMICROBALS

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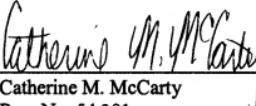
PETITION FOR THREE-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

Pursuant to 37 CFR §1.136, applicant hereby petitions that the period for response to the action dated February 22, 2006, be extended for three months to and including August 22, 2006.

Enclosed is a check for \$1020 for the required fee. Please apply any other charges or credits to Deposit Account No. 06-1050, referencing attorney docket no. 19916-003001.

Respectfully submitted,

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